

## ALL STATE BANKS OFFER TO FINANCE PART OF THE CROP

Advances on Pooled Tobacco Offered  
By Several Home Banks,  
Says Stone.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 4. — Offers of advances on the crops of members of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association in their various counties have been made by a number of the banks in the burley tobacco counties, President James C. Stone said yesterday.

Asked as to what progress was being made in financing the pooled crop, President Stone said:

"We have received offers of advances on the pooled crops from quite a number of the so-called country banks and it is the intention of the association to give this business to the banks which ask for it. We have had assurances all along that the banks in the rural communities would take a share of this business and the bankers in most of the counties showed their confidence in the movement by advising growers to join the association. It is no surprise to us that now they should come forward and tender the facilities of their institutions to the co-operative marketing movement.

"We are working as rapidly as possible on the details that must precede the opening of the warehouses for the reception of the tobacco grown by members of the association and we shall open the warehouses just as soon as these details can be worked out and arrangements made for the advances to the growers on the tobacco they deliver."

A system of grading is being worked out at the headquarters, 620 South Broadway, this week.

Director of Warehouses Ralph M. Barker, who has been at Carrollton and Louisville since Saturday, arrived at headquarters last night and will be busy the rest of the week on warehouse personnel and other details of his department.

New Player Piano Rolls, 15 cents and up. Richard Spaniard Co., Nelson building. 16Dec-17

## PUBLIC SALE OF BANK STOCK.

As administrator of the estate of A. C. Sphar, deceased, I will at the court house door, Mayville, Kentucky, on Monday, January 9th, 1922, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., sell, to the highest and best bidder, 24 shares of stock of the Bank of Mayville. 2Jan17

R. B. ADAIR, Administrator  
Estate of A. C. Sphar, deceased.

## SMALL OIL FLOW FOUND AT BURTONVILLE.

The Fleming Gazette says: Pat O'Connor was at Burtonville Friday looking after an oil well on the place of his father near there. Mr. O'Connor states that at a depth of about 1000 feet a small flow of oil was brought in last week and that the promoters who are Chicago parties are quite enthusiastic about the prospects. Some of the Chicago backers came in from the Windy City last week to examine the well.

## PLANNING GREAT REVIVAL.

Pastor Seever of the First M. E. Church, South, his official board and the members of that congregation, have laid extensive plans for a great revival for this church beginning on next Sunday. The evangelist will arrive Thursday. Pastor Seever will be in charge of the singing during the revival. He is well qualified for such work, having had considerable experience as an evangelistic singer.

FOR SALE. — Rocking chair, magazine rack, electric fan, baby carriage and reading lamp. Call phone 693. 24Dec-17

## MUSICAL SHOW HERE ON THURSDAY EVENING.

"Listen Irene," musical comedy, will be the attraction at the Washington theater on Thursday evening. Because of the reputation this show has had in past seasons, it is expected that there will be a very large audience to witness the local presentation. Tickets are now being reserved at the Crane & Shafer Paint and Paper Store in Third street.

## REVIVAL BEGINS AT ABERDEEN MONDAY.

Revival services will begin at the Aberdeen Baptist church next Monday evening. The new pastor, Rev. C. E. Baker, will do the preaching. Pastor Baker is a forceful speaker and the public is cordially invited to all services. After Monday services will be held afternoon and evening of each day.

Mrs. C. L. Wood leaves Thursday morning for a two months' visit with relatives in California.

## JUDGE COCHRAN HEARS GOVERNMENT COAL CASE

Local Jurist Sits On Federal Court of  
Appeals in Important Coal  
Seizure Case.

Judge A. M. J. Cochran of Mayville sat Tuesday with Judges Denison and Danohue in the short session of the Circuit Court of Appeals at Cincinnati to hear the appeal of the United States against the decision of Judge Peck awarding \$23,486.75 extra compensation to the C. G. Blake Company for coal supplied commandeered for the Navy. The government attempted to fix its own price for the coal.

Judge Peck held the company entitled to the market rate prevailing at the time the coal was seized. Assistant United States Attorney Allen Roubush represented the government and Murray Seasongood was the Blake Company's attorney.

The judges allowed fifteen days more time for proceedings intended to secure a rehearing of the film patent dispute between the Victor and Cheney Company. Attorneys Bradley E. Dawson and District Attorney Sawyer A. Smith of Covington were admitted to practice.

## LOCAL TOBACCO MARKET REMAINS VERY STRONG

Manufacturers Take All Offerings at  
Liberty Today Giving Speculators  
No Chance on the Weed.

The second sale at the Liberty warehouse Wednesday was quite as successful as Tuesday's sale considering the qualities of the offerings. There was a very good crowd of spectators during the day and the sale moved very rapidly. So strong was the market that every pound sold was purchased by the manufacturers, the speculators getting no chance at the offerings.

Pounds sold ..... 21,450  
Average ..... \$22.45  
High price ..... \$60.00  
Low price ..... \$4.20  
Crop averages: Elmer Kirkpatrick, 985 pounds, \$31; R. F. Jefferson, 815 pounds, \$33; Ed Stigney, 365 pounds, \$33; N. F. Gaffen, 1435 pounds, \$25; Lawrence Cline, 1645 pounds, \$28; Ed Hardymon, 895 pounds, \$21.

## NOTICE.

All money due the City of Mayville for licenses are now payable to E. L. Willett, City Treasurer, at the Farmers & Traders Bank.

All other monies due the City of Mayville, except for City Taxes, are payable to R. B. Adair, City Clerk, at his office on Court street.

All City Taxes are payable to the Collector, who is to be elected by the City Council this month.

J. H. SAMUEL, Mayor.  
J. A. DODSON, Chairman,  
Ways and Means Committee. 4-31

## "THE FIRE EATER" FEATURING HOOT GIBSON.

Hoot Gibson will be seen in his first big five reel feature "The Fire Eater" at the Pastime Thursday. This is a fiery drama of a man who fought his way through a blazing feud of the giant forest straight into the heart of a girl who had hated him. It's a western whirlwind play. See the roaring flames of a giant forest fire. Louisa Lorraine, Tom Lingham, Walter Perry assume prominent parts in this big western feature.

## FLEMINGSBURG CITY COUNCIL NAMES OFFICERS FOR 2 YEARS

Flemingsburg, Ky., Jan. 4. — At the regular meeting of the city council Monday night the following city officers were elected for two years: C. C. Taylor, city clerk; E. V. Hall, treasurer; Paul Hefflin, city attorney; Dr. A. S. Robertson, city physician; A. J. McCartney, fire chief; J. J. Walton, assessor, and W. L. VanArsdell, marshal.

## WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

The union Week of Prayer service will be held at the First Baptist church Wednesday evening and the public is invited and urged to be in attendance. The services Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church were well attended and those attending these services are enjoying them fully.

## SELLS STANLEY BRADY FARM.

Sherman A. has sold for Mr. Stanley Brady his 25-acre farm located on Jersey Ridge formerly the Slack farm, to Mr. L. Peggs, of the county. This is a splendid little farm and was purchased last March by Mr. Brady at public sale and sold at a nice profit.

Miss Mary M. of Covington, has returned home after a very pleasant visit to her sister Phoebe Huron and other relatives.

A skeleton of a man is meat for the scoundrel.

## SURVEY OF COAL LANDS IS URGED BY GOVERNOR

Governor Morrow In Bi-Annual Message  
To General Assembly Advises  
That This Is Not the Time  
To Increase Taxes.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 4. — Cautioning the General Assembly that the present was not the time for increasing the burdens of the tax-payer and that economy in appropriations should be the watchword so as to keep them within the revenue of the state, Governor Edwin P. Morrow Tuesday sent his bi-annual message to the General Assembly of the state of Kentucky, which opened its bi-annual sixty day session here.

The governor covered the subjects of taxation, coal lands, public education, public health, prohibition, carrying of concealed weapons, failure of peace officers to do their duty, co-operative marketing and the limitation of salaries of public officers. He did not, however, touch on the question of the state university and the normal schools, highways and penal charitable institutions, reserving them for another message to be addressed to the legislature at a later date.

The governor recommended that a careful survey of the values of coal lands be authorized so that the State Tax commission may have proper figures on which to tax such lands at their true value. This recommendation carried with it the recommendation that a sufficient sum of money be appropriated to have a thorough survey of the coal sections of the state.

He recommended a series of laws relating to education which have been approved by the Kentucky Education Survey Commission and which include the reorganization of the State Board of Education; a scientific certification of teachers and a scientific schedule; a more satisfactory method of selecting textbooks; revision of the attendance law; state support for and extension of the State Department of Education with an adequate professional staff and a revision of the graded school law.

He also recommended that the requirements for entering the practice of medicine in the state be lowered so as to make the entering of the profession more attractive to young men and women.

Failure of enforcement of the prohibition law in the state brought from the governor a recommendation that county judges and judges of municipal courts be given the final jurisdiction to try offenders of the law and that they be given the right to impose a \$1,000 peace bond conditional on observance of this law.

## COLD WAVE IS ON THE WAY!

The cold wave flag was ordered hoisted at the weather stations, Wednesday. Rain and much colder weather is indicated for Wednesday night and Thursday, with possible snow flurries Thursday. The temperature will fall rapidly during Thursday and reach a minimum between 15 and 20 degrees above zero by Thursday night. Forecaster Devereaux said, Wednesday, he did not believe the cold wave would be of long duration. The cold weather is coming from the northwest where in the Dakotas 18 below zero was reported Wednesday morning. The rain of Tuesday night total .52 of an inch. The Ohio River has fallen to 21.1 feet, but will rise slightly.

## POWER COMPANY'S BUILDING CLEANED.

A force of men is at work giving the old State National Bank building at West Second and Court streets which was recently purchased by the Mayville Power Company, a thorough cleaning. The interior of the building will be extensively improved at once for the occupancy of the power company.

## CINCINNATI MARKETS

Wednesday, January 4.  
Cattle—\$68, generally steady; Bulls, 25@50 cents higher; Calves, closing \$12, down.  
Hogs—4539, closing steady; Heavy, \$7.50@8; Mixed, \$8; Mediums, \$8.00@8.25; Lights and Pigs, \$8.75; Roughs, \$6; Stags, \$4.25.  
Sheep—761, steady; Choice Lambs, \$11.50.

## MR. W. W. THOROUGHMAN DIES.

Mr. W. W. Thoroughman, aged 61, died at his home in Broadway street Tuesday afternoon after a lingering illness. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and burial was made in the Mt. Tabor cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Miller, of Walnut street are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Wednesday morning. God probably never intended man to be satisfied—because if he were he would have nothing to pray for.

## CONGRESS FACES AN EVENTFUL TERM

Sessions Beginning Today Probably  
Will Continue Until Late in  
Coming Summer.

Washington, Jan. 4. — Congress will start on the 1922 legislative program today faced with the prospect that it may be kept steadily at work until late summer.

In addition to debates over the routine appropriation bills, there confronts the Senate the probability of one fight or a series over new international agreements resulting from the Washington arms conference. President Harding, it is understood, will forward all of them to the Senate for consideration whenever the arms conference concludes its work.

For the first time, House and Senate will deal with the measures supplying money for all governmental functions in budget form. They are slated to be started through the House January 5. Under the House Appropriations Committee program, a money bill would be put through each week until all are turned over to the Senate.

The Senate will begin work with three agreements respecting important matters pending on its legislative calendar. The first of these, the resolution declaring Truman H. Newberry, Republican, to be the duly elected senator from Michigan, is due to be acted on early next week.

## VOLE ON BRITISH- IRISH TREATY NEAR

DeValera Proposes to Force Vote on  
Treaty in Dail Eireann at Thurs-  
day's Session, Message States.

Dublin, Jan. 4. — President Eamonn De Valera announced today he intends to force a vote on the Anglo-Irish peace treaty in the Dail tomorrow. The Dail convened at the National University today. Desultory debate marked the opening hour of the session.

Neither side has weakened perceptibly as a result of yesterday's bitter debate, although De Valera's move for an immediate vote was interpreted to mean he was afraid the Dail would ratify the treaty if debate continued. Michael Collins issued a statement today asserting Ireland overwhelmingly approves the treaty.

"Let members of the Dail submerge their personal opinions for their country's good," he urged.

## MAJOR ACCUSED.

Washington, Jan. 4. — Charges against Major H. L. Ople of Staunton, Va., were to be put under the congressional searchlight today during investigation of alleged illegal hangings and killings in the A. E. F.

A dozen former "doughboys" charged Ople with murdering soldiers. It was expected 20 to 30 witnesses would be called today. Names were kept secret until the witnesses reached the stand.

## WARSHIP IN COLLISION.

Boston, Jan. 4. — The battleship North Dakota and the schooner T. K. Bentley collided off Nantucket light last night, according to a wireless message today. The ships were damaged only slightly. No one was injured.

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## KENTUCKY CROP VALUES SHOW BIG DECREASE IN YEAR

Tobacco Leads in Valuation of Crops  
This Year—Corn Was King in 1919  
—Seventeen Crops Worth  
\$130,000,000

Washington, Jan. 4. — Seventeen staple crops produced in Kentucky in 1921 are valued at approximately \$130,000,000, a report soon to be issued by the Department of Agriculture will show. In 1919 the department estimated that ten staple crops in Kentucky in that year were valued at \$390,000,000.

Tobacco heads the list of the year just closed with a production of 325,710,000 pounds, valued at \$50,485,000, and corn stands second with a production of 82,150,000 bushels, valued at \$45,182,000.

In 1919, corn headed the list of Kentucky crops with a production of 82,500,000 bushels, valued at \$127,875,000, and tobacco ranked second with a production of \$41,000,000 pounds, valued at \$88,300,000.

Tame hay, which two years ago was valued at \$39,649,000 on a production of 1,561,000 tons, this year is valued at \$17,112,000 on a production of 1,104,000 tons.

The production of oats last year was 1,567,000 bushels, valued at \$2,672,000. In 1919 it was 9,900,000 bushels, valued at \$9,090,000.

Figures for wheat, which two years ago amounted to 12,209,000 bushels valued at \$25,381,000, have not yet been compiled for 1921.

The production and values of other Kentucky crops last year were:

Barley, 14,000 bushels, \$88,000; rye 180,000 bushels, \$202,000; buckwheat, 120,000 bushels, \$120,000; potatoes 3,770,000 bushels, \$6,220,000; sweet potatoes, 1,872,000 bushels, \$2,160,000; soy beans, 3,000 tons, \$264,000; clover seed, 34,000 bushels \$340,000; sorghum sirup, 1,000,000 gallons, \$2,938,000; apples, 600,000 bushels, \$1,795,000; soy beans, 3,000 bushels, \$195,000; cow peas 143,000 bushels, \$255,000; peaches 80,000 bushels, \$240,000; pears, 4,000 bushels, \$9,000.

## TOBACCO SHIPMENT STOLEN.

Chicago, Jan. 3. — Turning to new fields of banditry, two armed robbers today held up Louis G. Gross, driving a truck for a tobacco firm, confiscated the truck and with it \$7,000 worth of tobacco.

Leader Wants Ads Pay.

## POOL FINANCED BY BINGHAM'S FUND

Entire Cost of Preliminary Organization Borne By Courier-Journal Times, President Stone Says.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 4. — In a statement issued Tuesday, James C. Stone, president and general manager of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Marketing Association said:

"It is not generally understood that Judge Robert W. Bingham entirely financed through his newspapers, The Courier-Journal and The Louisville Times, the preliminary organization of the association. There newspapers out of their current funds paid to the Organization Committee all the money required to sign up the crop and include more than 50,000 growers in the society.

"One of the greatest factors in addition to the money furnished by these newspapers was the hearty, active and continued support given to the movement in the news and editorial columns.

"This help came to the farmers of Kentucky at a critical time, and a great service has been rendered by Judge Bingham and his newspapers to the whole state."

## THANKS FOR FLOWERS.

We desire, in this manner to express to "the admiring friends" our appreciation of the beautiful flowers which reached our desks upon our assuming our duties Monday morning.

H. P. PURNELL,  
A. M. JANUARY,  
C. M. DEVORE.

## INSURANCE AGENCY CHANGES HANDS.

Mr. Robert B. Willocks, local insurance agent, Wednesday purchased from Mr. Fred A. Diener, his local insurance agency. Mr. Willocks will continue his office in the O'Keefe building, and is now equipped to write any form of insurance policy.

The cases of Lella Rees, against the Germantown Fair Company for damages in the total sum of \$20,000 were begun in the Mason Circuit Court Wednesday morning. By an agreement, all three suits, which were brought separately in the beginning, have been consolidated and are being tried as one suit.

These cases grew out of the collapse of the amphitheater at the Germantown Fair grounds during the 1920 meeting. It will be remembered that in this crash, several people were injured and among those injured were Mr. and Mrs. Rees and their little daughter. The little girl suffered more serious injuries than either her father or mother. The father and mother are asking \$5,000 damages each and the daughter is seeking \$10,000.

The jury in the case was chosen Wednesday morning after attorneys had questioned each juror as to whether or not he was a director or stockholder in the fair company. Scores of people throughout the county are interested in the case, which is not a divorce and paying corporation. Considerable interest is manifest throughout these three counties and it is more than likely that there will be many witnesses heard during the trial.

Attorneys Baxter Harrison, of Brooksville, and B. S. Grannis, of Flemingsburg, represent the plaintiffs and the fair company is represented by Worthington, Browning and Reed, of this city.

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